PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) Docket No. (Small Entity) P-576 (TI-0022) In Re Application Of: Huber et al. Application No. Filing Date Examiner Customer No. Group Art Unit Confirmation No. 09/770,410 Ernest G. Therkorn 26259 6186 January 25, 2001 1723 Invention: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR SEPARATING POLYNUCLEOTIDES USING MONOLITHIC CAPILLARY COLUMNS COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS: This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action. of <u>December 5, 2005</u> in the above-identified application. The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired): One month Two months ☐ Three months ☐ Four months ☐ Five months March 6, 2606 from: until May 5, 2006 Buste Date Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27 The fee for the extension of time is \$225 and is to be paid as follows: A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 50-1619 2 Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038. Iowacon Jacous Signature Dated: April 19, 2066 Jane Massey Licata Reg. No. 32,257 I certify that this correspondence is being deposited Licata & Tyrrell P.C. with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to the 66 E. Main Street "Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA Mariton, NJ 08053 22313-1450" (37 CFH 1.8(a)) on Tel: 856-810-1515 Fax: 856-810-1454 (Cate) Signature of Person Mailing Correspondence 000 Typed or Printed Name of Person Modling Correspondence